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Our rates for Local Advertising for 1885, will be ten cents per line for first insertion and five cents per line for each additional insertion.

—Probate court next Monday.  
—P. M. Zook has gone to Nebraska.  
—Judge W. H. Poynter is very ill with pneumonia.  
—W. H. Frame is clerking for Anderson & Cummins.  
—Judge Knowles went to Mound City, Friday, on legal business.  
—Rev. Christy will preach at Richville next Sunday at 3 p.m.  
—Professor Specking is organizing a class for instruction in German.  
—The Woman's Union, will, in a short time, present a popular cantata.  
—Mrs. L. D. Pierer, of Matland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Gardner.

—W. R. Hoffmann has a residence in Oregon for rent; contains three rooms.  
—Mrs. Ron Gustin will leave in a few weeks for an extended visit with friends in Ohio.

—R. S. Worthington from Monroe county, New York, has rented the Isaac Lamb farm.

—Dave Geivin drove 100 head of cattle from Matland to St. Joseph last Saturday, where he shipped to Chicago.

—Amos Casile has opened a stock of hats and caps, boots and shoes and gents' furnishing goods in the Nick Stock building.

—We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of M. Birmingham, at his home in this county. We hope for his speedy recovery.

—W. H. McCoy, who for several years was road and bridge commissioner of this county, died of erysipelas, at Kansas City, Monday last.

—Mrs. Penny, living near Napier, has adopted a youth named Brownlow. There are several widows in that section that might follow Mrs. Penny's example.

—W. A. Gardner, is highly delighted over the arrival at his home, on Thursday last, 26th inst., of a bright little boy. May the little one live see his three-score and ten.

—John Snyder has sold his farm in Clay township, to Allen Skidmore, of Nebraska, who takes possession immediately. Mr. Snyder will cultivate the E. Hot Davis farm.

—Dr. Butler, will go to New Orleans about the 30th inst. He will be escorted to the Crescent City, by the following ladies: Mesdames Butler, S. Q. Gustin and Fannie Dungan.

—W. E. Minton removed with his family this week to Kansas City, where he expects to make his future home. He will engage in the commission business at the union stock yards.

—Professor H. E. Denny's music class in the Union district will give a concert and literary entertainment at the Union school house on next Thursday evening, March 12th. Admission, ten cents.

—Big hearted, whole-souled Leigh Irvine, of the Kansas City Press, has returned to his field of labor after several days visit at home and with old class-mates. Come again, it does us good to meet you.

—W. J. Pinner, formerly a citizen of this county, now residing at Leavenworth, Kansas, took the first and second awards for the largest and best collection of evaporated fruits by any process, at the World's Fair.

—We are glad to be able to announce that J. W. Bailey has resumed business at his old stand, in St. Joseph. Mr. Bailey has host of friends in Holt county who will be delighted to hear of this. We trust that he may have smooth sailing the remainder of his days.

—If you want to feel satisfied, be certain that you have one of the best, highest running, best proportioned, and finished wagon in the United States then buy the Excelsior or Orchard City wagon. They have been tried and found good. Call on H. C. Schmidt, Oregon, Mo.

A Grand Temperance Rally will be held in this city on March 19th and 20th. All who are in sympathy with the temperance cause in Missouri, are cordially and earnestly invited to be present. Prizes will be offered to the largest delegation from any one township in the county. Good speakers will be present to address the convention.

—Parents: Accord if you please. The attendance on school is rapidly decreasing. What does this mean? Are you not aware that one day now is worth more to your child than two days were last fall? By this time the children have acquired the habit of mental work, and the teachers know just what each individual child needs; and therefore the greatest progress can be made in the shortest time. Don't fancy that the teachers are getting tired. The true teacher never does. They have carefully prepared the soil, planted the proper seed and are now watching with anxious care to see it mature. Help them to gather the harvest by sending your children regularly up to the last day. "All's well that ends well."

—Boys, go and see A. J. Casile when you want anything in the way of Gents' Furnishing Goods. He carries a nice assortment in connection with his Boots and Shoes. You will find him in the Stock building.

—County court meets next Monday.  
—Mrs. Allie Kanis is visiting relatives in Mound City.

—Did the young ladies find out where the well was?  
—Mrs. Dan Martin has been quite ill, but is now some better.

—E. VanBerkirk was in Matland last Tuesday, on legal business.  
—Miss Trace and Minnie Spoorle returned to St. Joseph Thursday.

—J. H. Pratt and family of St. Joseph, are visiting the family of Andy Brady.  
—An inauguration ball was held at Sterrett's Opera House, Wednesday evening.

—John Cowan and family of Butte City, Montana, will perhaps return to his county.  
—Miss Busch, of Nebraska City, is visiting her cousins, Mrs. Philip and Daniel Schulte.

—Hobitzel & Pinkston of Matland, sold seventeen wagon loads of lumber last Saturday.  
—James Wagoner has sold his farm to his brother George. James will go to Concordia, Kansas.

—We are sorry to learn that the Graham mills have been compelled to shut down by reason of the hard times.  
—The business houses of Anderson & Cummins and Clark Philbrick have been handsomely papered by the Greene Bros & Jas Foster.

—W. T. Eldy and D. P. Dobyns are in Kansas City, attending the session of the state Eucampment of the Grand Army of the R. Public.

—W. R. Hoffmann has sold to Andrew Jackson, late of Ohio, the M. H. Super property; consideration, \$550. Mr. Jackson is improving the property.

—At Wm. Mauer's sale of mules at Matland last Saturday, prices averaged \$250 per span. Buyers were present from Andrew and Nodaway counties, and Iowa.

—Tich and Seratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes by Woolfords Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. Tuis ever fails. Sold by Hinde & Phyllis Drugist, Oregon.

—Frank Evans is in the city, visiting his mother. His Hershberger moved to Mound City this week. James Tracy has gone to Leavenworth. Jesse Fitts was in St. Joseph this week.

—W. R. Hoffmann has for sale town property from \$400 and up; also a cheap business house in town, and farms from 40 to 160 acres; one well improved farm at \$10 per acre.

—We are sorry indeed to announce, that our recorder, Robert Lyons had a slight stroke of paralysis on Tuesday last. Up to the hour of our going to press, Thursday morning, he is some better.

—Several of our correspondents have a habit of sending in their items on Wednesday to insure insertion the same week, they should be mailed to us not later than Tuesday. Remember this, please.

—In mentioning the list of presents in the Curry-Feigenbaum nuptials, we omitted to mention a pair of napkins from John Dorsey, of this city, and an eight day clock from the bride's father, dozen cut glass goblets and jelly dish, Dr. G. A. Feigenbaum and wife, Omaha, Nebraska; silver breakfast castor, Rev. J. Tanner and family, Lincoln, Nebraska.

—B O Cowan and mother have returned from New Orleans. Mr. Cowan stopped at the State Capital on his return, to look after the bill which had been introduced looking to the prevention of contagious diseases among cattle; To his regret he learned the bill had been defeated in the senate. He heard our representative, Mr. Kellogg, favorably spoken of. Mr. Cowan also informed us, that Missouri, in addition to capturing the leading prizes at New Orleans for best fruit exhibit, had also won the laurels in the wine exhibition—twelve prizes and two gold medals having been awarded to W. H. Gentry, of Sedalia. His exhibit consisted of Berkshires.

—Mr. Joseph Fitts has returned from the wholesale markets where he completed large spring purchases. He has on exhibition the finest line of foreign and domestic dress goods, in plain and plaid, ever placed on sale in this city. His selections of table linens, and Gingham have been made with most excellent care and taste. He is prepared to supply you with lace curtains in all qualities and patterns. He has an endless stock of hosiery in all grades, shades and sizes. His stock of gents' furnishing goods is most complete and invites the gentlemen to examine his stock of colored shirts, in dress style. A large stock of embroidery in all qualities can be found at this house. Mr. Fitts makes a specialty of Ladies' gents' and children's fine shoes. Our spring novelties and notions are too elegant for description—You should call and see them.

—Price & Price have just opened up a new Meat Market, two doors north of Bank, where they will keep the best meat to be found in the market. Highest cash price paid for hides.

—The Big Four make good music.  
—Will Maupin has located at Wyomere, Nebraska.

—R. P. Trimble has rented the W. F. Drake's property.  
—Pneumonia seems to be the prevailing disease in our county.

—D. T. Cummins is commander of the Mound City Post, G. A. R.  
—Mrs. Alf Meyer, of Mound City, is suffering with a severe fracture.

—There has been five conflagrations in Nodaway county the past two weeks.  
—The colored people will have a festival at their church, Thursday evening, March 12th.

—P. B. Kenney and Chris Kunkel are now members of the H. C. County Silver Cornet Band.

—A missionary sermon will be preached at the M. E. church next Sunday morning, by the pastor.  
—Lizzie Payne is visiting in Troy, Kansas. Annie Jackson is in Matland. Martha Payne is home on a visit.

—Robert Pitcher, of Mound City, left last Tuesday for Kingston, New Mexico, where he will engage in mining.  
—Hugh Barrier will build a residence in this spring. George Jacobs and John H. Kunkel have been given the contract.

—The Attorney-General has given his opinion that county judges are only entitled to mileage for the four regular terms.  
—Never in the history of the dry goods trade, have goods been sold as cheap as is now being offered by A. A. McIninch, 1900 Frederick avenue, St. Joseph.

—An examination of teachers will be held at Mound City on Saturday, March 7th. The Teachers' Institute will be held at the same place on the following Saturday, the 14th inst.

—For full particulars concerning the clothing market, call on A. A. McIninch, 1900 Frederick Avenue, St. Joseph, and he will convince you that prices in clothing has taken a tumble.

—Samuel Stacky and wife, Clark Proud, Judge Huiatt and others, have returned from their trip to New Orleans. They all express themselves as delighted with the World's Exposition.

—We are pained to announce the death of Fred Dreher which occurred at his home on Tuesday night. He was an old resident of the county, and a highly respected citizen. Obituary next week.

—The collector of Atchison county has published a list of all delinquent real estate tax payers in that county. It is in alphabetical order and states the amount of taxes due. It is a most excellent idea.

—Another one of our citizens has been dudded by the slick tongued wind-mills. Again we say d. not put your name to any kind of paper for a stranger. If you want windmills, or anything else go to our home merchants and they will supply your needs.—Matland Independent.

—We heartily endorse "Anon's" views in regard to Prof. J. F. Kellogg allowing his name to go before the people for the office of County School Commissioner, and should he consent to become a candidate for the office we will do all in our power to assist him.—Matland Independent.

—A boy put in his appearance at the residence of E. W. Haidley last week, and Asher Gustin went out to attend the frolic. We have not yet heard the weight, politics, and religion of the youngster, but we believe the father and mother are both doing well, and you must be content on this statement.

—Remember that A. A. McIninch has just returned from the Eastern markets, and taking advantage of the great sale prices there, has purchased an immense stock of spring goods, which is now arriving in car load lots. You can buy anything you want at this store from a cabbage seed to a threshing machine, and at the very lowest prices known.

—I am going to do it. I mean business! Ladies' Cloaks, Gents' Overcoats, Boots, Shoes and Hats, Gents' and Boys' Clothing. In fact, you can find everything in his Stock to be found in a First-Class Dry Goods House. And from now on until the 1st of January, 1885, will be sold at BED-ROCK for CASH. Remember the place, J. B. PAYNE.

—Tom Curry, of the Holt County SENTINEL, and Miss Mina Feigenbaum, of St. Joseph, were married last week in that city. If Tom hasn't already ordered a power press, we advise him to lose no time in doing so, for at the end of a three months' trial of married life he will hardly be equal to the task of running the SENTINEL's 1900 copies twice a week through an old Washington hand press.—Tarkio Avalanche. No doubt some of Tom's 180 avoirdupoise will be reduced, but we are inclined to believe that he will be equal to any emergency arising from his new relations.

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## HAPPINESS.

Wedding of W. R. Hoffmann, and Miss Philomena Spoerle.

No daintier maid or queenier bride ever answered "yes" to the solemn question asked by a minister of the gospel than did Miss Philomena Spoerle on last Tuesday evening, when, with a smile lingering upon her cherry lips and her eyes dewy with suppressed emotion, she stepped lightly from the flowery paths of maidenhood and bowed with becoming grace to the flat that ranks her with the matrons of the land—the past a memory, the future bright as the morning sun, with hope silver sanded and diamond crowned. Love is the Genie of the age. In the alchemy of woman's heart is found the only talisman that can make man immortal, for looking into the depths of her fathomless orbs, gleaming with passion divine, he knows that akin to a mother's love is a wife's devotion, to her he is as the cross to the devotee. Trials may come, tempests assail, misfortune gather, but through it all, clear and steadfast, beams the spark that first flashed into existence in Paradisaical bowers, shining brightly as does the orb of planets in stellar space.

At an early hour the M. E. church of this city, was filled to its utmost capacity, the elite of the city with a number of